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Applicant : Jong Y. Lee                      Art Unit: 1646  
Serial No.: 09/016,159                      Examiner: D. Fitzgerald  
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Title : PURIFIED HUMAN ERYTHROPOIETIN RECEPTOR PROTEIN  
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Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
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RESPONSE

In response to the Examiner's action mailed December 9, 1998, please amend the application as follows:

In the Specification

Please insert before the "Field of Invention", -This application is a continuation of Serial No. 08/876,227, which was filed on June 16, 1997, abandoned, which is a continuation of Serial No. 08/734,097, which was filed on October 21, 1996, abandoned, which is a continuation of Serial No. 08/460,525, which was filed June 2, 1995, abandoned, which is a divisional of Serial No. 08/106,815, which was filed August 16, 1993, abandoned. -

In the claims

Please amend the claims as follows:

3. (Amended) A purified human erythropoietin receptor polypeptide consisting essentially of about amino acid

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